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the derivation of words, had occasion

ing to the continent in quest of the

origin of the term "juggins. During

from the warehouse company the fol-

lowing letter: "Sir-We have the

in it. Since the epidemic would ex-

Its Strong Point.

"There's only one sure way, ma'am," said the butcher, "an' that's by eatin

"But I have to buy it before I can do

"Yes'm; that's the beauty of the pre-

"Things are getting too hot for me!"

Thus the historic bird set an exam

ple that mankind has been proverbial-

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ly reluctant to follow.

be destroyed."

don King.

scription.

to store his furniture while proceed

dealer a larger profit.

Fully Appreciated. Raymond, aged 5, returned from Sunday school in a state of evident excitement. He strutted around the room as if about to burst with import-The sympathetic eye of his Is Peculiar to Itself. There is mother was not slow to observe this. "What's the matter, Raymond?" she

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"Oh, mother," exclaimed the small boy, his eyes sparkling, "the superintendent said something awful nice about me in his prayer this morning."

"What did he say?" "He said, 'O Lord, we thank thee for food and Raymond."-Woman's Home

Had to Keep On.

"I didn't know you intended to go around the world."

"I didn't when I started. But I went through Europe without tipping and was afraid to turn back."-Louisville Courier Journal.

Probably More than That. For the first time in his life the Rev. Dr. Fourthly was looking through a microscope at a drop of drinking water. "'My soul, be on thy guard! Ten thousand foes arise!"

muttered, in horror.—Chicago Trib-





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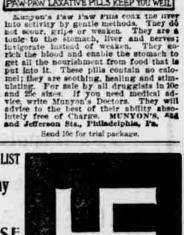


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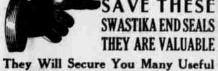
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ant Antually Nonespary. The lawyer proceeded to examine the

tey." he said, "but your answer consti-tutes a part of the record. How old

"Why, you ought to know, Mr Sharpe," she answered; "my birthday is the same as yours, only I was born ten years later than you were."
"Ah, yes, I remember. Well, it isn't

important, anyhow. Go ahead, Mrs. Chucksley, and tell the jury what you know about this case."-Chicago Trib

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Famous Work of Millet Cut From Frame and Stolen.

WORK WAS LOANED TO MUSEUM

Belonged to Rich San Francisco Woman, Who is Now in Europe-No Clew to Thief.

San Francisco, March 15, Carefully cut from its place in the great frame that held it, while a score of persons wandered about admiring the works of art, Jean Francois Millet's famous painting, "The Shepherd and Flock," valued at \$10,000, was stolen

Flock, "valued at \$10,000, was stolen from the art museum in Golden Gate park this morning about 10:15 o'clock.

No one saw the daring thief remove the world-renowned canvas. The police are without the slightest clew in the case.

Great excitement prevailed when it became known that the masterpiece had been carried away. The news was telephoned to all local clubs and the theft was the topic of conversation in cafes and the places of amusement during the day.

The painting is the property of Miss Sarah M. Spooner, of this city, who is now traveling Europe. It was purchased by her from T. D. Trimon, of the Rue La Fayette, Paris, The canvas is 21 inches by 17 inches.

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Two other paintings of equal value were loaned to the art museum by Miss Flock' was hung. They are Dupre's priated to himself a large dish of

whether the theft of the painting is an marked: act of vandalism or the result of a well-laid plan to steal the remarkable Millet work and place it upon the market again at some future time through the medium of a European "fence." FREAK PART HORSE, COW, DEER

Spine on Side, Horn on Front Legs, Hoof Points Backwards.

Ottawa, Ont., March 15 .- At the village of Buckingham, on the Quebec side of the Ottawa river, a few miles from this city, is a horse, if such it dealer. can be called, that is only a third part horse, the other two parts being divided equally between a cow and a deer.

As a freak the animal probably has no equal. The normal parts are its head, eyes, teeth and one hind leg. Its back bone is not in the center, but runs along the side of its back. One side of the stomach is that of a deer, perfectly formed, with the fine, close-setin ribs, and the delicately curved body. The other side resembles that of a cow, very full, with big, rough ribs and the hide much rougher than on the other

On one of its front legs there pro-Bud Doble

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trudes a twin horn which measures four feet and 11 inches from the tip to the base, turning up at the point and weighing about 25 pounds. The hind leg on the left side is put on backwards, so to speak, all the muscles of the leg are on the inside and the hoof points backwards.

Madriz Announces Terms. trudes a twin horn which measures

Managua, Nicaragua, March 15, Replying to the proposition recently submitted by General Estrada with re-ference to the friendly mediation of the American government and appeal-ing to President Madriz to accept such mediation so that peace might be assured, the president has sent the fol-

"I feel the fullest confidence in the United States government and would accept its mediation with much pleasure were it not that several of the bases of settlement that you propose

are wholly unacceptable,
"Your patriotism should have precluded conditions affecting the autonomy and honor of Nicaragua and such as the mediator probably would refuse to consider if they were submitted."

Japs Oppose Mikado Tax. San Francisco, March 15 .- Six hundred Japanese, assembled in a meeting today to discuss the registration tax imposed by the government of the mikado upon all subjects residing in the United States, passed resolutions de-manding dismissal of the local Japanese consul, Matsuzo Nagai. A protest against the payment of the tax was embodied in the resolutions and will be forwarded at once to the foreign office at Tokio. It was agreed that the tax would be resisted with force, if neces

Man May Sweat to Death.

Los Angeles, March 15.—Thornton Freen, an elevator operator 21 years old, has been suffering for years from a constant fever, and his physician, Dr. Henry Herbert, has just discovered the cause—two extra and entifely unnecessary ribs. According to members of the Los Angeles Medical associa-tion, Green's case is something new in medical annals, and it is feared that the young man will have to undergo an operation for the removal of the ribs he wants to avoid sweating himself to death.

Halley's Comet Located. Pacific University, Forest Grove, Or., March 15.—W. N. Ferrin, president of Pacific University, thinks the report from Silverton that Halley's comet has been seen for the past three evenings is a mistake. President Ferrin says the comet is now in the constellation Pisces, many degrees from where the Silverton observer reports he saw it. He gives its position as 14 degrees from the sun and almost directly in the west at sunset.

Bellboy Made Bad Money. Riverside, Cal., March 15.-The finding of a counterfeiting outfit in a cel-lar under a hotel here led to the arrest of Harold Mun, 14 years old, a bellboy, who declares he is the son of a wealthy the philosophical boarder.

"What's curious about it?" asked the is in the custody of probation officers with two charges against him, theft of a revolver and that of having manu-factured bad money.

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The police are undecided as to his discourtesy to the other diners, re-

"Doctor, you remind me of Nebuchadnezzar in his degradation."

"Aye, do I mind ye o' Nebuchadnesgar? Doubtless because I am eating among the brutes," answered the Scotch worthy.

Money No Object.

"I don't care anything about it my-self, for I'm no judge of such things." said Mr. Gaswell, "but my wife wants me to buy a rare old violin, and she says they come bigh. Got any?"
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eyes, and she thought, "How dearly

Frederick loves that boy!" Imagine

the block to her feelings when he sud-

"Amelia! It is incomprehensible to

me how they can get up such a crib

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In England the early Methodist

preacher, when away from home, was

expected to get his food from his con-

gregation, and when at home was al-

owed 16 cents a day, with the stipu-

lation that the acceptance of an invi-

with a further concession of five dol-

lars a quarter for each child. At the

Bristol conference of 1752, however, a

definite salary was fixed. For the fu

An Admonition from Japan.

"You shouldn't call us Japa is your

"We don't think it's polite. You

newspapers," said a Japanese journal-

wouldn't want us to call you Yanks in

our papers, would you? A western

day: 'What ness are you-Japanese or

Chinese? I'd have liked to jiu-jitsu

him, but I only smiled and retorted:

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tion, constipation, dirry spells are some of the results of an liver. Ask your doctor if he is small, one pill at bedtime.

"Were you out gambling last sign?

the stornly demanded. "I will tell you the truth," he so "I was at a senuce. We sat around the table, holding hands." He did not think it necessary to me

plain they were poker hands. "Did the spirits come?" she asket in brouthless awe. "The spirits were there," he regital

"Did they give low cries?" she wall ture the preacher was able to call \$60 pered.

"No," he replied; "I should describe them more as high bawls "-Bak

More than That,

lable)-I s'pose this is one o' the new fashioned pay-as-you-enter ma Conductor-Yes, uncle, and it's also Congressman said to me the other an enter-as-you pay car. Pleas to day: 'What ness are you... Japaness or inside. You're delaying the press

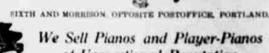
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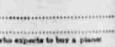
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